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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) An immunogenic vaccine composition for vaccinating dogs comprising an agent capable of raising an immune response against *Mycoplasma cynos* (*M. cynos*) in a dog, wherein said agent comprises inactivated or attenuated *M. cynos*, and wherein said immune response is protective against Canine Infectious Respiratory Disease (CIRD).

2.-7. (**Canceled**)

- 8. (Currently amended) A <u>pharmaceutical</u> composition comprising an <u>immunogenic</u> vaccine composition according to Claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, diluent or adjuvant.
- 9. **(Currently amended)** The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 1 further comprising any one or more of:

an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against canine respiratory coronavirus (CRCV);

an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against canine parainfluenzavirus (CPIV);

an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against canine adenovirus type 2 (CAV-2);

an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against canine herpesvirus (CHV); and

an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against *Bordetella* bronchiseptica (B. bronchiseptica).

- 10. (Currently amended) An immunogenic vaccine composition according to Claim 9 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CRCV comprises inactivated or attenuated CRCV.
- 11. **(Currently amended)** An immunogenic vaccine composition according to Claim 9 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CRCV comprises a Spike protein or a hemagglutinin-esterase (HE) protein of CRCV, or an immunogenic portion of the Spike or HE protein.

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- 12. (Currently amended) An immunogenic vaccine composition according to Claim 9 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CPIV comprises inactivated or attenuated CPIV.
- 13. (Currently amended) An immunogenic vaccine composition according to Claim 9 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CAV-2 comprises inactivated or attenuated CAV-2.
- 14. (Currently amended) An immunogenic vaccine composition according to Claim 9 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CHV comprises inactivated or attenuated CHV.
- 15. (Currently amended) An immunogenic vaccine composition according to Claim 9 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against B. bronchiseptica comprises inactivated or attenuated B. bronchiseptica.
- 16. (Withdrawn) A method of <u>eliciting an immune response in vaccinating</u> a dog against canine infectious respiratory disease (CIRD) comprising administering to the dog an <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 1.
- 17. **(Withdrawn)** A method of treating CIRD in a dog comprising administering to the dog an immunogenic vaccine composition according to Claim 1.
- 18. (Withdrawn) A method of stimulating an immune response against *M. cynos*, the method comprising administering to <u>a the</u> dog an <u>immunogenic composition according to Claim 1</u>, wherein said immunogenic composition stimulates an immune response against *M. cynos* in the [[a]] dog.
- 19. (Withdrawn) The method according to Claim 18 further comprising administering to the dog any one or more of:

an agent capable of raising an immune response against S. zooepidemicus in a dog;

an agent capable of raising an immune response against a *Chlamydophila* in a dog an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CRCV; an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CPIV; an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CAV-2; an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CHV; and

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an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against B. bronchiseptica.

20.-39. (Canceled)

- 40. (Currently amended) An immunogenic vaccine composition comprising:
- (b) an agent capable of raising an immune response against *M. cynos* in a dog; and
 - (d) an agent capable of raising an immune response against CRCV in a dog.
- 41. **(Currently amended)** The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 40 further comprising any one or more of:
 - (c) an agent capable of raising an immune response against a *Chlamydophila* in a dog;
 - (e) an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CPIV;
 - (f) an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against CAV-2;
 - (g) an agent capable of raising an immune response against CHV in a dog; and
 - (h) an agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against B. bronchiseptica.
- 42. **(Currently amended)** The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 40 further comprising:
 - (a) an agent capable of raising an immune response against *S. zooepidemicus* in a dog.

43.-56. (Canceled)

- 57. (Currently amended) The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 1 further comprising an agent capable of raising an immune response against *Streptococcus equi sub species zooepidemicus* (S. zooepidemicus) in a dog.
- 58. (Currently amended) The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 57 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response against *S. zooepidemicus* in a dog comprises inactivated or attenuated *S. zooepidemicus*, or a structural protein of *S. zooepidemicus* or an immunogenic portion thereof, or a sequence variant of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof, or a nucleic acid encoding said structural protein, portion or

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sequence variant, wherein said sequence variant has at least 90% sequence identity to the polypeptide sequence of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof.

- 59. (Currently amended) The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim.1 further comprising an agent capable of raising an immune response against a *Chlamydophila* in a dog.
- 60. (Currently amended) The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 59 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against *Chlamydophila* comprises inactivated or attenuated *Chlamydophila abortus*, or a structural protein of *Chlamydophila abortus* or an immunogenic portion thereof, or a sequence variant of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof, or a nucleic acid encoding said structural protein, portion or sequence variant, wherein said sequence variant has at least 90% sequence identity to the polypeptide sequence of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof.
- 61. (Currently amended) The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 59 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against a *Chlamydophila* comprises inactivated or attenuated *Chlamydophila psittaci*, or a structural protein of *Chlamydophila psittaci* or an immunogenic portion thereof, or a sequence variant of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof, or a nucleic acid encoding said structural protein, portion or sequence variant, wherein said sequence variant has at least 90% sequence identity to the polypeptide sequence of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof.
- 62. (Currently amended) The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 59 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against a *Chlamydophila* comprises inactivated or attenuated *Chlamydophila felis*, or a structural protein of *Chlamydophila felis* or an immunogenic portion thereof, or a sequence variant of said structural protein or immunogenic portion—thereof, or a nucleic acid encoding said structural protein, portion or sequence variant, wherein said sequence variant has at least 90% sequence identity to the polypeptide sequence of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof.
- 63. (**Currently amended**) The <u>immunogenic vaccine</u> composition according to Claim 59 wherein the agent capable of raising an immune response in a dog against a <u>Chlamydophila</u> comprises inactivated or[[.]] attenuated <u>Chlamydia muridarum</u>, <u>Chlamydia pecorum</u>, <u>Chlamydia protein of Chlamydia protein of Chlamydia trachomatis</u>, or a structural protein of <u>Chlamydia</u>

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muridarum, Chlamydia pecorum, Chlamydia pneumoniae, Chlamydia suis or Chlamydia trachomatis, or an immunogenic portion thereof, or a sequence variant of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof, or a nucleic acid encoding said structural immunogenic protein, portion or sequence variant, wherein said sequence variant has at least 90% sequence identity to the polypeptide sequence of said structural protein or immunogenic portion thereof.